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Subject: Notice of Public Comment Hearing: Proposed Aquifer Exemption

This is a message from the State Water Resources Control Board.

Greetings,

On August 20, 2015 the California Department of Conservation, Division of Oil, Gas, and Geothermal Resources (DOGGR), in consultation with the State Water Resources Control Board and the Central Coast Regional Water Quality Control Board, sent notice regarding a proposal to expand the current aquifer exemption designation for the Dollie sands of the Pismo formation in the Arroyo Grande oil field (in unincorporated San Luis Obispo county near the intersection of Ormonde Road and Price Canyon Road). Subject to approval by the United States Environmental Protection Agency, the proposed aquifer exemption would allow the State, in compliance with the federal Safe Drinking Water Act, to approve Class II injection into the identified area, either for enhanced oil recovery or for injection disposal of fluids associated with oil and gas production.

Hearing Information:

San Luis Obispo September 21, 2015 4pm-7pm

Courtyard Marriot

1605 Calle Joaquin Road

San Luis Obispo, CA 93405

Documents related to the Aquifer Exemption proposal, and information regarding how to submit comments can be found on DOGGR's website at:

http://www.conservation.ca.gov/dog/Pages/Aquifer_Exemptions.aspx

Thank you,

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